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- 3. The gait of an infant is also different from that of an adult. Infants tend to waddle, with their toes directed outward in a "duck walk." A normal, adult gait is generally not achieved until the child is 6 to 8 years old. Infants also have great difficultly balancing on two feet -- as a result many infants tend to walk with their arms raised, in an effort to balance. Improper footwear can exacerbate these problems. Most normal adults do not suffer from these problems.

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Self Report of Research, Teaching, Clinical Scholarship.

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